

LIST OF CURRENT CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A nail magazine for alternatively accommodating T-nails or U-nails, comprising:

an elongated housing having a receiving chamber therein;

8 a nailing track fastened to a front end of said housing and having a bottom notch in communication with said receiving chamber;

a nail guide mounted in said receiving chamber for ~~support~~ supporting nails loaded in said housing;

a nail pusher mounted inside said housing for pushing said loaded nails along said nail guide toward said bottom notch of said nailing track;

10 wherein said nailing track further comprises a first nail hole upwardly extended from said bottom notch; and

15 a stop block positioned in said bottom notch of said nailing track, said stop blocking having a top side, a left side, and a right side, and a top cut groove downwardly extended from said top side and in communication with said first nail hole, the top, left and right sides of said stop block defining with a peripheral wall of said bottom notch of said nailing track a second nail hole; and

17 ~~a nail clamp pivoted to said front end of said nail guide, comprising two parallel clamping walls defining a gap therebetween, said clamping walls each having a front side extending into said top cut groove of said stop block, the nail clamp being configured and arranged to hold the body of a front T-nail between said clamping walls~~

wherein when T-nails are used and loaded in said housing, the loaded T-nails are forced by said nail pusher to pass through said first nail hole and said top cut groove[[:]], and when U-nails are used and loaded in said housing, the loaded U-nails are forced by said nail pushers to pass through said second nail hole.

1 2. (Original) The nail magazine as claimed in claim 1, wherein said housing comprises a T-nail groove formed therein above said receiving chamber, said T-nail

3 → groove having a transverse groove section and a longitudinal groove section; ^{first} first nail hole of said firing track has a profile corresponding to said transverse groove section and said longitudinal groove section of said T-nail groove; said nail guide comprises two upright sidewalls arranged in parallel, and a guide groove defined between said upright sidewalls and set in alignment with the longitudinal groove section of said T-nail groove; said nail pusher comprises a follower spring and a push member forced by said follower spring to push the loaded nails, said push member of said nail pusher having a U-shaped front push face riding on said upright sidewalls of said nail guide, and a longitudinal push face, said longitudinal push face having an upper part disposed in the longitudinal groove section of said T-nail groove and a lower part disposed in said guide groove of said nail guide.

3. (Original) The nail magazine as claimed in claim 2, wherein said nailing track comprises a sliding groove longitudinally formed in a front side thereof; said first nail hole is longitudinally formed on a middle of said sliding groove; said stop block is affixed to a front end of said nail guide and disposed in said bottom notch of said nailing track, said stop block having a front side maintained in flush with a bottom side of the sliding groove of said nailing track. ^{said}

4. - 5. (Cancelled)

6. (Currently Amended) The nail magazine as claimed in claim [[5]] 1, wherein said clamping walls of said nail clamp each have a sloping front side sloping downwardly forwards, the sloping front sides of said clamping walls each having a bottom edge protruding over a front side of said stop block to support the front T-nail for nailing, said nail clamp being turned inwards and received in said top cut groove of said stop block upon firing of the front T-nail.